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English language abstracts of the following foreign language documents were furnished in the parent application:

EP 0 087 588

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Respectfully submitted,



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